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DISTRICT CONVENTION WILL BE AN IMPORTANT ONE TO MINE WORKERS

Number of National Officers Expected to Be Present At Opening Session

STAND BY ORGANIZATION

Action Taken at Rump Convention Not Recognized by Either National or District Officials

Never before in the history of District No. 5, United Mine workers of America, will there be such a gathering or such an important convention of miners in the district, as will be held next week at Pittsburg, owing to internal dissensions which resulted recently in the election entirely of new district officers at a "rump" convention. National and district officers from a number of other States and from Pennsylvania districts expect to be in attendance and lend to the importance of the convention.

Absolute disregard is being taken of the action at the recent "rump" convention, so far as the organization generally is concerned. A number of locals have expelled persons who acted as delegates to the convention, among them being the Charleroi, Monongahela and Fayette City locals. Robert Gibbons is the president elected at this convention, but no attention is being paid to him by the real district officials.

President John P. White of the national organization has promised to be present when the convention opens on Monday, and John Mitchell will also be on hand. Others expected from other districts of the national organization are John H. Walker and Duncan McDonald, from Illinois, Patrick Gilday and others more or less noted. They will squelch any attempt to have the "rump" convention action recognized, should there be any such attempt made. Personal gain is claimed to have been the motive back of the forming of the new body.

Yesterday Black Diamond miners held a meeting and elected three Feehan men as delegates to the forthcoming convention. Charleroi will send two delegates, also Feehan men.

Formal Spring Opening

Our Spring Opening will take place tomorrow, March twenty-fifth. Our store is arrayed in all its Spring beauty, the millinery display is handsomer than ever before under the hands of Miss Esalyan Kastmer.

New tailored suits just from the world of fashion. Tailored skirts, silk and lawn waists. Everything to add to the beauty of the fair sex. Evans' Millinery Store, 323 McKean avenue. 194t1

Eggs for Hatching

Rose Comb Buff Orpingtons for pleasure and profit. The hardiest of all the Orpingtons. Four pens of high class birds. Fifteen eggs two dollars. N K. Wiley, California, Pa. 189t11

Free Envelopes

With each 25c package of Majestic Linen piper. Majestic Linen is a very fair grade of Linen paper and runs 96 sheets to the package. Might's Book Store.

Much Excitement But Little Fire

Whistles Blow and Fire Bell Rings for Blaze in Generator

SLIGHT DAMAGE IS DONE

A generator getting too hot and causing the insulation of coils to burn at the Pittsburg Plate Glass works here last night caused considerable of a fire scare, and resulted in the fire department being called out the fourth time in two days. Employes of the plant saw the fire flash and blew the Plate Glass fire alarm whistle. The fire bell was rung. Excitement was general, but little damage was done.

COUNTY HAS EIGHTY-SIX PRISONERS

Annual Report Is Made By Claremont Authorities

WORKHOUSE BIG CONCERN

Washington county sent eighty-six prisoners to the Allegheny county workhouse at Claremont during the year just ended according to the report of that institution received by Sheriff John C. Murphy yesterday. The exact cost to Washington county is not set forth in the report but it is stated that the average cost per diem for each prisoner is about 44 cents, although higher rates are charged by the county for all prisoners outside of its bailiwick.

The new bill now in committee at Harrisburg which provides for the employment of all county prisoner in public work is expected to pass the Legislature this season and will do away with the expense of one county sending a prisoner to another county. The bill provides for the employment of all prisoners on road work similar to the law now in force in other states but particularly in the southern states where the bulk of highway improvements is carried on by prisoners. It permits work on other public improvements.

Music

Experienced teacher of Violin and Piano will open class Wednesdays in Charleroi. Pupil of Foreign Masters. For terms address Box 409 Fayette City, Penn. 184t10p

Spring Vacation

The California Normal this morning closed for theannual spring vacation of a week.

Get your metal polish at Fleming's. 192tf

TWO HOUSES BURNED BY DISASTROUS FIRE

Conflagration Near Marianna Results In Destruction of Valuable Property and Loss Will Be $4,500

A large dwelling house, other smaller house, wagon shed and corn crib, together with the household goods of William Campbell, located on a farm owned by J. W. Shidler, about two miles west of Marianna were totally destroyed by a fire which started at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The complete loss is estimated at about $4,000 to J. W. Shidler and $500 to William Campbell. Mr. Shidler carried about $500 insurance on his property and Campbell a small amount on the household goods. Campbell had $60 in money burned.

TEAM READY FOR CONTEST

Pricedale and Charleroi Miners to Meet April 1

That the baseball game on Saturday, April 1, between the Charleroi Coal Works team and the Pricedale miners, team, will prove one of the best ever seen in Charleroi is proven beyond a doubt by the earnest manner in which both teams are practicing for the event. Manager Charles Steel of the Coal works team announces a lineup about as follows and defies Pricedale to show anything better. Catchers, Pete Bege and Mike Wilson; pitchers, Ralph Miller, Pete Bege and Baldy Fontnesi; shortstop, Billy Kuhn and Darias Green; first base, Charles Hirshman and Mike Wilson; second base, Harvey Anderson and Gus Brickner; third base, Joe Mason and Neil Motts; left field, Kelly; middle field Lou Mitchell and Jack Wilkes; right field, Charles Steele, Charlie Buckholdt and Charlie Muskrat.

The game will be called at 4 o'clock and the admission will be free.

GRAUSTARK AT COYLE SATURDAY

McCutcheon Dramitization to Be Produced By Good Company

A determined American and a Princess of unusual albeit charming personality form the main characters of "Grustark," the McCutcheon novel dramatized by George D. Baker, and to be produced at Coyle Theatre Saturday night of this week. Falling in love with her, and losing sight of her, he starts out with a friend to locate the object of his affections and traces her to Graustark, where she is worshiped as a queen.

Just how successful he is and how happy his friend becomes in also finding a mate in this castle of romance, is nicely unfolded by Mr. Baker.

JURY RECOMMENDS OFFERING REWARD

Coroner Holds Inquest Into Death Of Ferryman at Gallatin

At the inquest held by County Coroner J. T. Heffran, at Monongahela this week over the death of Bartolo Slavis, the ferryman who died from an assault made, it is said by five negroes, the jury recommended that the county authorities offer a reward for the capture of the murderers.

CLUB ASKS A CHARTER

Monongahela Valley Automobilists File Petition

A petition for the incorporation of the "Monongahela Valley Automobile Club" has been presented to court. The club will be located at Charleroi. The officers are a president and board of governors. Those chosen for the first year are J. J. Hott, president, and Kerfoot W. Daly, C. H. Van Voorhis, Charleroi; Dr. A.R. Wilson, M. J. O'Donnell, Donora; T. J. Eebreth, Monongahela, and Dr. E. E. French, Bentleyville, governors.

PERRYMAN STORE ATTRACTIVE PLACE

Millinery Display Feature at Annual Spring Showing

"Opening" is just another word for "full ready for business with new goods of the season." With beautiful decorations, a feature throughout, the spring opening of J. W. Berryman and Son's store began yesterday. Today the opening is continued.

Stop in the millinery section first. The whole final authentic message in millinery for which hundreds of women have waited, holding every prediction they've heard whispered weeks past. How charming. The Helmet hat, with abruptly turned brim, The Peasant sailor, it's a dear—and the Collapsible Turban—chic, snug looking. Wholly new and significant, the rich and lavish colorminglings—the new corals and Helen Pinks and Louise Blue;—the Empire green, violet, black and white—used with freest abandon; the omnipresence of flowers, from tiniest buds to wistera, lilacs and hydrangeas; the use of uncurled ostrich—full of frond-like grace.

Going back to the suit section to examine more leisurely the suits, dresses, coats and oh, so many things that are different—at collar, cuff, sleeve and back. The colors are thoroughly spring-like, fabrics light weight. Gorgeous to the extreme in the rich blending of colors tastefully arranged in art work, rugs and carpet suspended from the walls,- is the carpet department. On the first floor the silks, woolens, trimmings allied lines on the dry goods side and notions strikes one as viewing things never before seen in such perfect arrangement. The opening is in all departments and not even the men's department is slighted, where the neatest and latest in men's garments is shown. The many who visited at the store yesterday were more than pleased with the display.

Cut In Two

We are still offering Good Shoes with the price cut in two. Louis Beigel. 193t1

Will Resurrect the Curfew Law

Monessen People Make Complaints of Children Being on Street at Night

WAS FORMERLY IN FORCE

The curfew law is about to be resurrected in Monessen after a two years' demise, and put into working order. Complaints have been made recently that boys and girls of a tender age are to be found on the streets as late as 11 o'clock at night with no motive for being there.

WILL TRY OUT NEW PLAYERS

"Bill" Phillips Will Take Youngsters From Valley

PUTS THROUGH A TRADE

Manager "Bill" Phillips of the Youngstown team of the Ohio and Pennsylvania league, has been busy getting his players signed for the coming season. He has just closed an important deal, exchanging Catcher Frankenberry for second baseman Shelton, of Huntingdon, W. Va. He has also signed "Billy" Miller, an outfielder late of the Canton, Ohio team.

Manager Phillips is going to try out a number of young players, and he will take them to Columbiana 10 days ahead of the time for the rest to report in order that they may get a thorough workout. The season will open about the last week of April. Among the young players Phillips will take from the valley for a tryout will be Pitcher Alex Sutherland of Speers, Catcher "Bill" Brakewood, of Fayette City and Catcher Joe Guder, of the Charleroi Church league.

The Last Chance

This will be the last opportunity to buy your shoes at a bargain as we are closing out our entire stock very rapidly. Louis Beigel. 193t2

Lawrence Paints are sold by U. S. Standard gallon. J. H. Bowers. 194t1

Kerfoot W. Daly and C. F. Thompson have gone to Harrisburg on a business trip and to visit Gov. J. K. Tener and Executive Controller S. C. Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Blaker, and daughter Dessie are spending the day in Pittsburg visiting Jay Reeves at the West Penn Hospital.

Like-e-Namel on a floor is made to walk on—does not scratch. J. H. Bowers 194t1

IMPORTANT DECISION TO BOROUGH RENDERED BY JURY IN FRAM SUIT

Charleroi Officials Not Held Guilty of Illegality In Making Arrest

$5,000 AMOUNT CLAIMED

Trouble Over a Sewer at Second Street Ends In Court Where Effort is Made to Recover Damages

An important decision was rendered this morning at Washington when a verdict was given in favor of borough officials in the damage suit of Mrs. Catherine Fram who sued to recover $5,000 for alleged false arrest and imprisonment. Defendants in the case were Burgess George W. Ribeck, Chief of Police C. W. Albright and Patrolman George McEldowney. Not only was an adverse decision to Mrs. Fram rendered, but she was directed to pay the costs of the proceedings.

The suit was the sequel of a dispute over a sewer, which ran across the Fram lot on Second street, discharging sewerage from the home of Mrs. Mattie K French, into Second street. The Frams were claimed to have stopped up the sewer with concrete, thus interfering with the sewerage from the French place where a young man lay seriously ill. State Health Inspector Warren Hood came here on a Sunday, after there had been some trouble over the matter, and borough men were instructed to open up the sewer. Mrs. Fram is stated to have raised somewhat of a disturbance in an effort to prevent the work from being done, and she was arrested and brought to the lockup while the work was continued. She was later given a hearing and fined. As a result of the trouble a suit was decided in equity court some time ago in which Mrs. French and others were the plaintiffs and the Frams the defendants.

Considerable importance is attached to the case from the reason that borough officials were upheld in their work. If an adverse decision to them had been rendered, the chances are they would have been continually defending themselves in court. The Fram case was in a sense an exceptional one, but as Judge Taylor stated, in giving his charge to the jury, it could not be found that the borough officials had acted injudiciously or illegally in the performance of their duty. Judge Taylor further stated that had it been a man who interfered in the same way that Mrs. Fram did, the borough officials would have been justified in using more determined methods.

Smoky City Cleaner makes wall paper look like new. Charleroi City Grocery. 194t1

William S. Luckart of McDonald, who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for clerk of courts, was in town today.

R. F. McGowan of North Charleroi is spending a couple of days in Bethany, W. Va.

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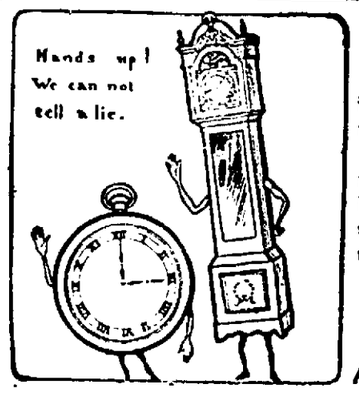

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March 24 In American History.

1644—The commonwealth of Rhode Island founded

1882—Henry Wadsworth Longfellow poet, died, born 1807

1885—Jacob Thompson, a cabinet officer under President Buchanan and afterward noted Confederate, died; born 1810

1890—New extradition treaty between the United States and Great Britain officially proclaimed General flight of fugitives in "Canadian colony."

1905—Venezuela refused arbitration to settle the United States claims dispute.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)

Sun sets 6:12, rises 5:51; moon rises 3:40 a. m.; 11:40 p. m., moon in conjunction with Uranus.

For County Commissioner

JOHN J. CAIRNS,

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Primaries, Saturday, June 3. 1911.

For Register of Wills,

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Primaries June, 1911

What Confronts Us

In its efforts to promote the advancement and prosperity of Charleroi, the local Business Men's Association should not overlook two economic conditions that confront us. These are; first, there is not enough work in our local institutions to afford employment for all the working people living in the town; and second, there is not enough business in the town proper to support all the stores and business places that are located here.

Take away the opportunities for employment afforded in the nearby towns and communities, and deflect the trade that come to the town from outside sources, and immediately there would be great suffering and financial distress. These are contingencis that are likely to occur at any time, and which no interests in the town have the power to help or control. As long as times are normal no harmful results are apparent. But let the factories and mills at Monessen, Donora and Belle Vernon shut down, and the mines along the valley suspend, even though our own industries continued in operation, and immediately a large number of working people in the town would become idle and dependent, and the business depression that would overtake many institutions would work widespread distress.

What is desirable is that Charleroi should have enough employment for all the worthy people living here, instead of our people having to go outside to seek employment. A year ago Supt. [illegible] of the Pittsburg Steel company it is said stated that he had 225 Charleroi residents on his pay roll. That was only one outside industry. It is well known that when the mills are not running well trade is correspondingly dull in Charleroi. These are conditions that make the progress of the town more or less unstable, and how to correct them is an economic problem for the local interests to solve.

Does soup make a man cazy? is asked. No, if he leaves it alone.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Out in Tacoma they let women vote on treating. It is good-bye treating, most likely if they get their way.

Relatives Surely

Miss Pearl Potts is visiting her cousin, Miss Mary Chambers Greene County Correspondence.

To the naughty masculine mind a part of these tight fitting new English trousers for men, would make a good adaptation of a pantaloon gown for women.

The only thing the Wall street manipulators ask for is privileges. Hang the rights.

Many people seem to think the Congressional Record a joke. But let them read just one issue through once, and they will be quite willing to admit they didn't know.

One trouble with woman suffrage is that when the cook and the mistress both get the ballot, there will be nobody at home to get dinner on election day.

A Lawrence county borough council is vainly trying to solve the problem of whether five of eight councilmen constitute a two thirds majority.

The usual remark might be made about the common run of spring hats—"They look like the devil."

There was an old woman from Wooster,
Who got in a fight with a rooster;
She ran for a tree
But didn't get free,
For she had nobody to boost her.

Bum Steer

The preacher, he preached from a text,
How Sampson was barbered and vexed:
That a man in a pew
And he told it so true
Got rattled and hollered out "Next."

The Nub

Jones tells me many a story
Which he thinks is full of wit,
But the darned thing isn't funny—
That's the funny part of it.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"In this age of entertainment and amusement conversation is a lost art," remarked a Charleroi woman yesterday. "There is no such thing any more as mental or moral culture by social contact, as there used to be. Every one has to be entertained by some artificial amusement. Even the women's literary clubs devote a large part of their program to entertainments, and a social gathering without a program or diversions is rare indeed.

"People do not have time to think or be original any more, or to develop by absorbing wisdom and knowledge from others, for the simple reason there is nothing to give or take in that line. When we meet our friends and acquaintances in social intercourse we play euchre, bridge, 500 or some other game, and all the conversation we indulge in is some personal gossip or other light talk on mere platitudes or some transitory topic that is empty, vapid, and most uninteresting to say the least. Instead of enjoying one another's company, and exchanging bright thoughts and bringing out our best impulses, we expend our grey matter in devising lunches, prizes and varied forms of entertainment that are a bore to ourselves and all others with whom we associate. That is not the worst. Petty jealousies and animosities are aroused in trying to outdo each other in the novelty of entertainment, and the greatest pleasure seems to be when we score a triumph over our neighbors in that respect.

"Even the churches have become infected with the amusement idea, and instead of the straight gospel of love and truth we get a program of entertainment thrown in with our form of worship that invariably overshadows the force and application of the service. The choir, the anthems, the vocal solos, the instrumental preludes and other forms occupy more thought and discussion than the sermons.

"With this condition is it any wonder that people are unhappy, discontented and vapid? No one lives their own life or gets any satisfaction, profit or pleasure in the empty, frivolous standard that permeates our social life in every gradation of society today. We need to reform ourselves."

An article in this month's number of McClure's Magazine entitled "John A. Brashear, of Pittsburg," by Edwin Tenny Brewster, is attracting considerable attention along the valley from the fact that Mr. Brashear, the subject of the article was born and reared in Brownsville and is well known in by many of the older people of this section. Mr. Brashear is one of the most eminent astronomers of the day with a world-wide reputation. He began life as a millwright a Pittsburg rolling mill, and although he never attended college, he has honorary degrees from the most of the prominent universities of the word. He has an establishment on the Northside, Pittsburg, where he manufactures special scientific instruments, the only one of its kind in existence. His patrons are scattered over the whole civilized world, and include the leading governments, the great educational institutional and the prominent scientific societies in both Europe and America. Incidentally it may be remarked that Mr. Brashear has done more for the cause of education in Pittsburg than any three men in that community.

"In his personal relations Mr. Brashear is as modest and unassuming as he is great and eminent as a scientist. A valley newspaper man relates how he once had occasion to consult the great scientist when he had charge of a query department in one of the Pittsburg morning papers.

"I had some astronomical questions I could not solve, and a colleague suggested that I call up Prof. Brashear on the 'phone at his laboratory in Allegheny. I did so, and immediately got a response.

"'Is this Prof. Brashear?' I asked.

"'This is Mr. Brashear,' was the modest reply.

"Then in answer to my inquiry he gave the desired information, with a cordial invitation to call upon him for anything else in that line at any time I frequently did so, and while I never met Mr Brashear personally, my telephone acquaintance with him is one of my most pleasant recollections."

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A Problem That Stumped Rousseau.

A curious little book is an old, old treatise on aeronautics by Jean Jacques Rousseau, called "Le Nouveau Dedale." Like Leonardo da Vinci and Cyrano de Bergerac, Rousseau was haunted by the dream of aerial navigation. We read: "Men walk on the earth, they sail on the water and swim in it. Is not the air an element, like the others? What business have the birds to shut us out of their premises while we are made welcome in those of the fishes?" Rousseau took no stock in any theories propounded by the Darius Greens of his day. He sifted the matter for himself and thought it involved two problems. First to find a body lighter than air, so that it would rise. He imagined that sooner or later such a body might present itself. There was no telling. But what stumped him was his second problem—how to make that obliging body stop rising and how in creation to make it come down. This was too tough for Jean Jacques, and he wound up his book by admitting it. For a long time "Le Nouveau Dedale" remained unpublished, appearing only in 1801.

Time to Make a Change.

Sir William Phips was appointed governor in chief of the province of Massachusetts Bay in 1692. During his administration the terrible war against witchcraft raged for some sixteen months. When his own wife, Lady Phips, was named as having exercised the powers of witchcraft Sir William began to view this whole terrible madness in a new light, and he put a stop to all trials and discharged the prisoners then awaiting trial.

The Way It Happened.

Brother Lobstock—How did yo' all got yo' nose busted? Brother Tump—I done slipped down an' plumb lit on my back. Brother Lobstock — But, name o' goodness, sah, yo' nose isn't located on yo' back! Brother Tump—No, sah, an' needer was Brudder Wack.—Puck.

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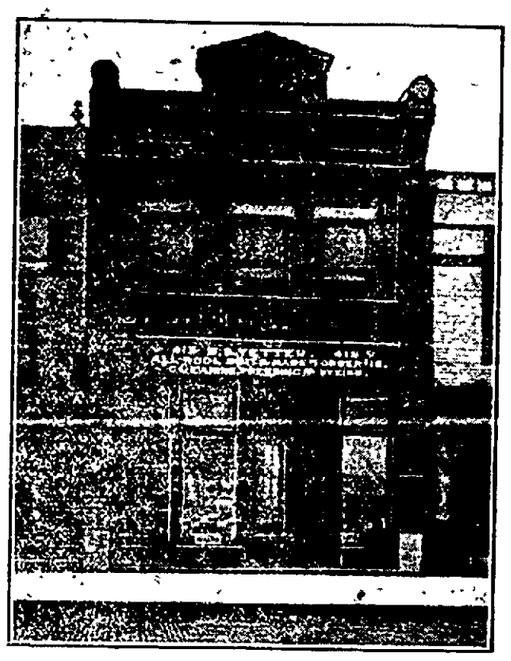

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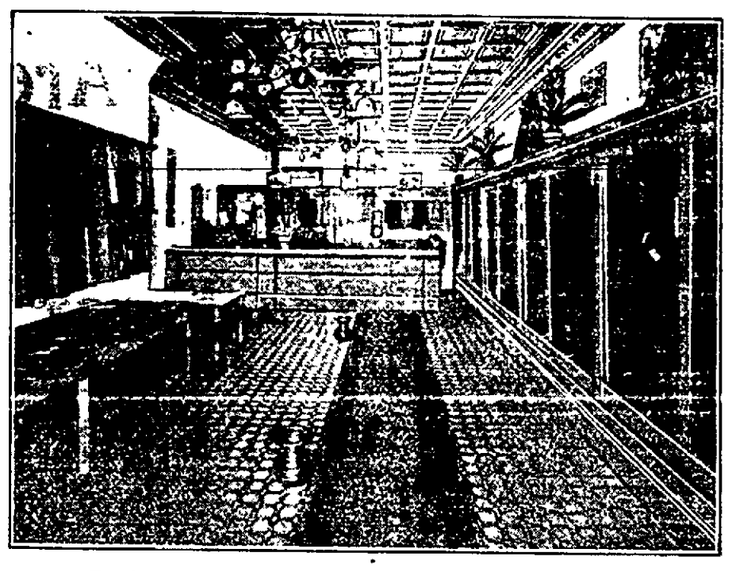

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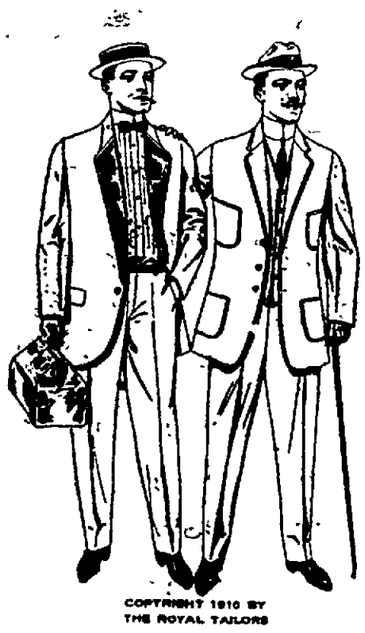

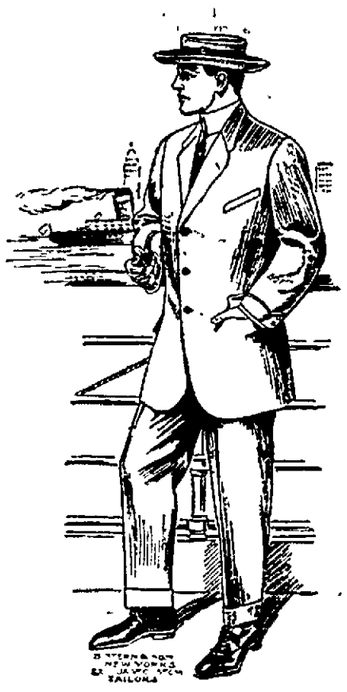

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BRILLAT-SAVARIN.

Tribulations of the Famous French Epicure and Jurist.

Brillat-Savarin, the author of "The Physiology of Taste," was the absolute realization of the typical good liver. The French revolution confiscated his property and removed him from his office as civil judge. He fled to Switzerland and then to the United States, where he played a fiddle in a New York theater to gain a living.

His property was afterward returned to him, and he was made a counselor of the supreme court, an office he clung to successfully through changes of empire and kingdom. His "Physiology of Taste" shared the fate of many celebrated books. It was refused by several publishers and eventually was published at the author's expense, but without his name attached to it, as he considered the nature of the work incompatible with his judicial functions.

It was Brillat-Savarin who declared that "the discovery of a new food does more for the happiness of the human race than the discovery of a star."

"Monsieur the counselor," a hostess asked him one day, "which do you prefer, burgundy or bordeaux?"

"Madame," replied the judicial authority, "that is a lawsuit in which I have so much pleasure in taking the evidence that I always postpone judgment."

A LIBERTY WITH TIME.

Castelar's Interrupted Lecture in the University of Madrid.

In "Home Life in Spain" is a fine story of the University of Madrid, which once had among its professors that Senor Castelar who was for a time president of the short lived Spanish republic. But when Alfonso XII. was brought to Madrid after the fall of the republic Castelar, with his companions, was exiled.

Some years afterward an amnesty was proclaimed, and Castelar returned in triumph to Madrid to resume his office in the university. A vast gathering attended to hear his first lecture, and the greatest orator in all Spain mounted the rostrum, looked imperturbably at the sea of eager faces surrounding him and began, "As I was saying yesterday" (Como decia ayer).

Between that yesterday and this day he had fought the battle of the fallen republic and had known the bitterness of years in exile. All memory of this, however poignant in the heart of Castelar, had passed from the professor of Madrid's university, and he continued his lecture at the very point at which it had been broken off.

The Sedan Chair.

The sedan chair is named after Sedan, the town where it was first used. The earliest mention of it in England occurs in 1581. Early in the following century the Duke of Buckingham caused much indignation by its use in London. People were exasperated at that nobleman employing his fellow men to take the place of horses to carry him. Prince Charles brought from Spain in 1623 three curiously wrought sedans, two of which he gave to the Duke of Buckingham.—A few weeks after their introduction Massinger produced his play, "The Bondman," and in it he thus adverts to the ladies:

For their pomp and care being borne
In triumph on men's shoulders.

The reference is doubtless to Buckingham's sedan, which was borne like a palanquin.—"Bygone England."

The Magnetic Poles.

The magnetic poles are not stationary. The northern one is slowly moving westward along the seventieth parallel and in the course of three or four hundred years will probably have encircled the geographic north pole and returned to about its present location. Of course the southern magnetic pole follows a corresponding course about the geographic south pole. In such cities in the United States as Omaha, Sioux City, Topeka, Galveston, etc., the compass needle would point about in the direction of the north star and the north pole that Commander Peary reached. This geographic pole is about 1,500 miles north of the magnetic pole, toward which the needles of all compasses point.—St. Nicholas.

Earliest Use of Mineral Ink.

In ancient times india ink, made from lampblack and glue, was used for writing on papyri, but inspection of the earliest vellum or parchment MSS. shows that iron gall inks were introduced not later than the ninth century. The reason for the change was that, although a carbon ink is more permanent, it has no penetrating power and can be sponged from the vellum, whereas the iron ink bites into the fibers and resists the destructive action of both air and light.

Age and Youth.

W. D. Howells said of old age at one of his Sunday afternoons:

"Age is modester than youth. I've often noticed that when I tell a mother that her daughter is the image of what she was herself at nineteen the mother is delighted, but the daughter looks startled."

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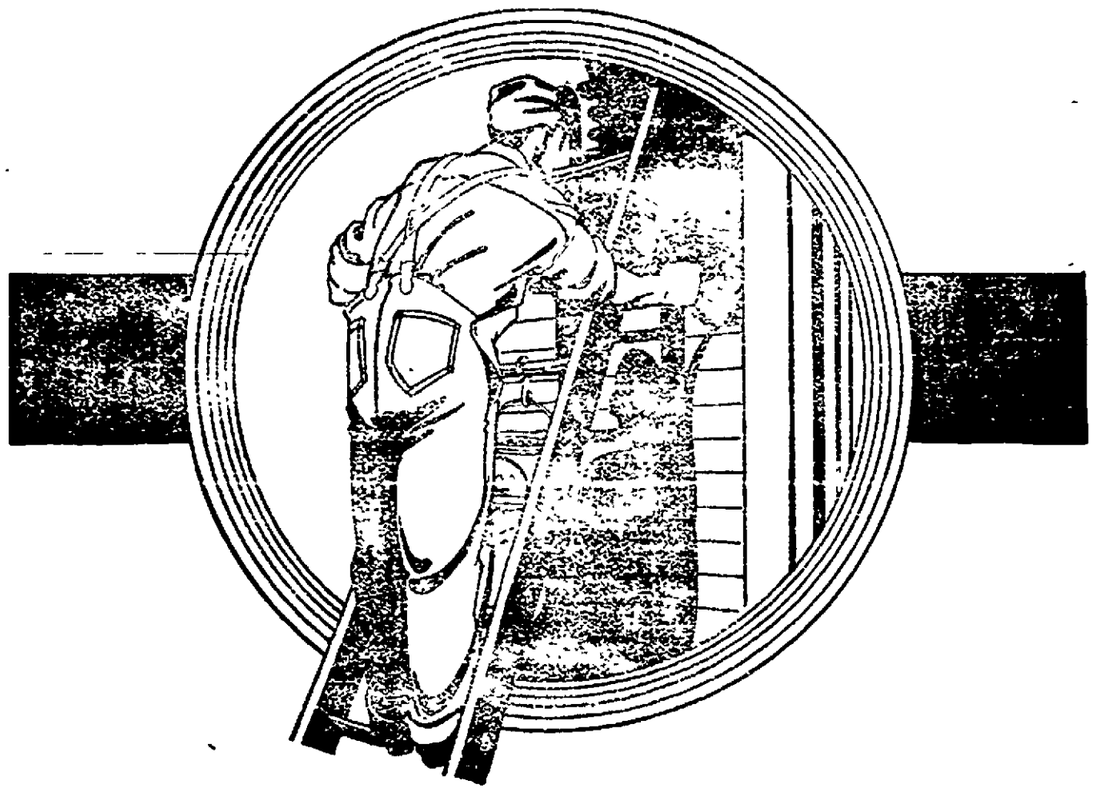

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Let us help you, with some experienced paint advice, to select the right paint for your home. It requires experience and paint knowledge, because the paint is just as important as the lumber, hardware and furnishings. We can help you. Also let us show you some tasteful color combinations for your home; let us explain why, if you ask your painter to use

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Hindu Juggling.

The Hindu jugglers and acrobats are the most skillful in the world. One of the latest stories told of them is about a performer who went through many wonderful feats perched on the top of a single bamboo stick about fifteen feet in height. The top of the stick was tied to a girdle around his waist, and a leg rest was provided by a cushion a few feet down the pole. Perched on this slender stick he hopped and danced about in the liveliest way, accompanied by the tapping of a drum. It would be considered a skillful feat to walk about with ease on a pair of stilts fifteen feet in height, but this Hindu showed a marvelous power of equilibrium on a single stick. He did other things even more wonderful. For example, he balanced a light stick on his nose and a heavy one on his chin and then threw the heavy one into the air with his head and caught it on the end of a light one. While balancing the two sticks thus, end on end, he made one revolve in one direction and the other in the opposite direction.

"Grey" and "Gray."

What is the difference, if any, between "grey" and "gray," aside from the matter of spelling?

The editor of the Oxford Dictionary some years ago made extended inquiry as to usage and found that opinions in London varied. Replies to his questions showed that in Great Britain the form grey is the more frequent in use despite the authority of Dr. Johnson and later lexicographers, who give the preference to gray. Many correspondents said that they used the two forms with a difference of meaning or application, the distinction most generally recognized being that grey denotes a more delicate or lighter tint than gray. Others considered the difference to be that gray is a warmer color or that it has a mixture of red or brown. Another group held that grey has more of sentiment, gray more of color, which may mean that grey is a suggestion rather than a positive outline.—New York Press

KIDNAPING VOTERS.

Once a Regular Feature of Political Warfare in England.

In England a generation or two ago kidnaping was a regularly recognized feature of political warfare. On the eve of an election especially men of influence on either side would mysteriously vanish to reappear later with strange tales of forcible seizures, mad races across country in post chaises driven by yelling postilions, followed by longer or shorter terms of gilded imprisonment in great mansions, where they were wined and dined in sumptuous style and treated right royally in every way, only their liberty being denied them.

Quite humble voters, too, were forcibly abducted, but these did not always fare quite so well. Thus one victim made complaint before a magistrate that he had been decoyed from his house by a ruse and kept shut up in a coal hole for three days.

Wholesale kidnaping of voters in batches, too, was not unknown, the process being rendered easier by the custom of candidates paying the traveling expenses of their electors to and from the polling places.

For instance, at a certain Newcastle election a whole shipload of freemen of the borough, dispatched from London by sea, were taken by the captain—who had been heavily bribed—to Ostend and there left stranded.

During the same contest, too, and under similar circumstances a number of Berwick electors who happened to reside in London were dumped down in Norway, and a group of thirty Ipswich voters found themselves on the day of the poll cooling their heels upon the quay at Rotterdam.—Pearson's Weekly

Tale of a Snake.

"Before he went fishin'," said the town story teller, "he swallowed 'bout a pint an' half of snake bite remedy, an' of course you know what that is. Well, after the snake bit him the reptile cut all sorts of capers, kaze the remedy went straight to its head. Last thing it tried to do wuz to swaller its tail, an' it got itself in the form of a hoop, an' I'm a liar of the children didn't roll it around all day!"—Atlanta Constitution.

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CONVENTION TO BE HELD HERE

Lady Maccabees To Hold District Session In Charleroi

Preliminary arrangement are being made by the Charleroi Hive, Lady Maccabees, for the district convention to be held in Charleroi some time in April and May. The district includes hives from McKeesport to Brownsville. A definite date has not been set. An interesting meeting of the hive was held last night with 42 members present After the busines session and the initiation of one candidate, a social session was held and a delicious lunch served. Everything is in readiness for the euchre to be held Wednesday evening, March 29. Playing will begin at 8 o'clock and handsome favors will be awarded. A pie social is also being planned for Thursday evening, March 20, in the meeting hall.

He Obeyed Orders.

General Dabney H. Maury in his "Incidents of General T. J. Jackson" says that when the war between the states broke out Jackson was the professor of mathematics at the Military College of the South. He wished strongly to take command of a cadet corps, but the heads of the institution were desirous to have him continue his teaching. Governor Wise called out the state troops and ordered that a corps of cadets be held ready for immediate service. Jackson, then major, reported at once at the guardroom as ready for duty. General Smith said:

"Major Jackson, you will remain as you are until further orders."

Jackson at that moment was sitting on a camp stool in the guardroom with his saber across his knees. At reveille the next morning he was found in the same position.

"Why, major, why are you here?" exclaimed General Smith.

"Because last night you ordered me to remain where I was," was the reply.

Classified Ads

HELP WANTED—An electrician for inside wiring. Apply to Master Mechanic, Pittsburg Plate Glass company. 194t3

WANTED—A collector. Apply at the People's Store, 536 Fallowfield avenue. 194t3

WANTED—Seamstress for Monessen store; one for the Charleroi store. Apply P. Anmuth, at People's Store, Charleroi, Pa. 194t3

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Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Pennsylvania, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on Monday, the 17th day of April, 1911, by James J. Hott, Kerfoot W. Daly and Walter Byerly and others, under the act of Assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended coporation to be called MONONGAHELA VALLEY AUTOMOBILE CLUB, the character and object of which is "promotion of the interests of automobile owners, drivers, manufactures and dealers," and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of Assembly and the supplements thereto. A copy of said application is on file in the of office of the Prothontary of said Court.

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DISTRICT CONVENTION WILL BE AN IMPORTANT ONE TO MINE WORKERS

Number of National Officers Expected to Be Present At Opening Session

STAND BY ORGANIZATION

Action Taken at Rump Convention Not Recognized by Either National or District Officia's

Never before in the history of District No. 5, United Mine workers of America, will there be such a gathering or such an important convention of miners in the district, as will be held next week at Pittsburg, owing to internal dissensions which resulted recently in the election entirely of new district officers at a "rump" convention. National and district officers from a number of other States and from Pennsylvania districts expect to be in attendance and lend to the importance of the convention.

Absolute disregard is being taken of the action at the recent "rump" convention, so far as the organization generally is concerned. A number of locals have expelled persons who acted as delegates to the convention, among them being the Charleroi, Monongahela and Fayette City locals. Robert Gibbons is the president elected at this convention, but no attention is being paid to him by the real district officials.

President John P. White of the national organization has promised to be present when the convention opens on Monday, and John Mitchell will also be on hand. Others expected from other districts of the national organization are John H. Walker and Duncan McDonald, from Illinois, Patrick Gilday and others more or less noted. They will squelch any attempt to have the "rump" convention action recognized, should there be any such attempt made. Personal gain is claimed to have been the motive back of the forming of the new body.

Yesterday Black Diamond miners held a meeting and elected three Feehan men as delegates to the forthcoming convention. Charleroi will send two delegates, also Feehan men.

Formal Spring Opening

Our Spring Opening will take place tomorrow, March twenty-fifth. Our store is arrayed in all its Spring beauty, the millinery display is handsomer than ever before under the hands of Miss Esalyan Kastner.

New tailored suits just from the world of fashion. Tailored skirts, silk and lawn waists. Everything to add to the beauty of the fair sex. Evans' Millinery Store, 323 McKean avenue. 194t1

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Rose Comb Buff Orpingtons for pleasure and profit. The hardiest of all the Orpingtons. Four pens of high class birds. Fifteen eggs two dollars. N K. Wiley, California, Pa. 189t11

Free Envelopes

With each 25c package of Majestic Linen paper. Majestic Linen is a very fair grade of Linen paper and runs 96 sheets to the package. Might's Book Store.

Much Excitement But Little Fire

Whistles Blow and Fire Bell Rings for Blaze in Generator

SLIGHT DAMAGE IS DONE

A generator getting too hot and causing the insulation of coils to burn at the Pittsburg Plate Glass works here last night caused considerable of a fire scare, and resulted in the fire department being called out the fourth time in two days. Employes of the plant saw the fire flash and blew the Plate Glass fire alarm whistle. The fire bell was rung. Excitement was general, but little damage was done.

COUNTY HAS EIGHTY-SIX PRISONERS

Annual Report Is Made By Claremont Authorities

WORKHOUSE BIG CONCERN

Washington county sent eighty-six prisoners to the Allegheny county workhouse at Claremont during the year just ended according to the report of that institution received by Sheriff John C. Murphy yesterday. The exact cost to Washington county is not set forth in the report but it is stated that the average cost per diem for each prisoner is about 44 cents, although higher rates are charged by the county for all prisoners outside of its bailiwick.

The new bill now in committee at Harrisburg which provides for the employment of all county prisoner in public work is expected to pass the Legislature this season and will do away with the expense of one county sending a prisoner to another county. The bill provides for the employment of all prisoners on road work similar to the law now in force in other states but particularly in the southern states where the bulk of highway improvements is carried on by prisoners. It permits work on other public improvements.

Music

Experienced teacher of Violin and Piano will open class Wednesdays in Charleroi. Pupil of Foreign Masters. For terms address Box 409 Fayette City, Penn. 184t10p

Spring Vacation

The California Normal this morning closed for the annual spring vacation of a week.

Get your metal polish at Fleming's. 192tf

TWO HOUSES BURNED BY DISASTROUS FIRE

Conflagration Near Marianna Results In Destrnction of Valuable Property and Loss Will Be $4,500

A large dwelling house, other smaller house, wagon shed and corn crib, together with the household goods of William Campbell, located on a farm owned by J. W. Shidler, about two miles west of Marianna were totally destroyed by a fire which started at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The complete loss is estimated at about $4,000 to J. W. Shidler and $500 to William Campbell. Mr. Shidler carried about $500 insurance on his property and Campbell a small amount on the household goods. Campbell had $50 in money burned.

TEAM READY FOR CONTEST

Pricedale and Charleroi Miners to Meet April 1

That the baseball game on Saturday, April 1, between the Charleroi Coal Works team and the Pricedale miners, team, will prove one of the best ever seen in Charleroi is proven beyond a doubt by the earnest manner in which both teams are practicing for the event. Manager Charles Steel of the Coal works team announces a lineup about as follows and defies Pricedale to show anything better. Catchers, Pete Bege and Mike Wilson; pitchers, Ralph Miller, Pete Bege and Baldy Fontnesi; shortstop, Billy Kuhn and Darias Green; first base, Charles Hirshman and Mike Wilson; second base, Harvey Anderson and Gus Brickner; third base, Joe Mason and Neil Motts; left field, Kelly; middle field Lou Mitchell and Jack Wilkes; right field, Charles Steele, Charlie Buckholdt and Charlie Muskrat.

The game will be called at 4 o'clock and the admission will be free.

CRAUSTARK AT COYLE SATURDAY

McCutcheon Dramitization to Be Produced By Good Company

A determined American and a Princess of unusual albeit charming personality form the main characters of "Graustark," the McCutcheon novel dramatized by George D. Baker, and to be produced at Coyle Theatre Saturday night of this week. Falling in love with her, and losing sight of her, he starts out with a friend to locate the object of his affections and traces her to Graustark, where she is worshiped as a queen.

Just how successful he is and how happy his friend becomes in also finding a mate in this castle of romance, is nicely unfolded by Mr. Baker.

JURY RECOMMENDS OFFERING REWARD

Coroner Holds Inquest Into Death Of Ferryman at Gallatin

At the inquest held by County Coroner J. T. Heffran, at Monongahela this week over the death of Bartolo Slavis, the ferryman who died from an assault made, it is said by five negroes, the jury recommended that the county authorities offer a reward for the capture of the murderers.

CLUB ASKS A CHARTER

Monongahela Valley Automobilists File Petition

A petition for the incorporation of the "Monongahela Valley Automobile Club" has been presented to court. The club will be located at Charleroi. The officers are a president and board of governors. Those chosen for the first year are J. J. Hott, president, and Kerfoot W. Daly, C. H. Van Voorhis, Charleroi; Dr. A.R. Wilson, M. J. O'Donnell, Donora; T. J. Ecbreth, Monongahela, and Dr. E. E. French, Bentleyville, governors.

BERRYMAN STORE ATTRACTIVE PLACE

Millinery Display Feature at Annual Spring Showing

"Opening" is just another word for "full ready for business with new goods of the season." With beautiful decorations, a feature throughout, the spring opening of J. W. Berryman and Son's store began yesterday. Today the opening is continued.

Stop in the millinery section first. The whole final authentic message in millinery for which hundreds of women have waited, holding every prediction they've heard whispered weeks past. How charming. The Helmet hat, with abruptly turned brim, The Peasant sailor, it's a dear—and the Collapsible Turban—chic, snug looking. Wholly new and significant, the rich and lavish colorminglings—the new corals and Helen Pinks and Louise Blue;—the Empire green, violet, black and white—used with freest abandon; the omnipresence of flowers, from tiniest buds to wistera, lilacs and hydrangeas; the use of uncurled ostrich—full of frond-like grace.

Going back to the suit section to examine more leisurely the suits, dresses, coats and oh, so many things that are different—at collar, cuff, sleeve and back. The colors are thoroughly spring-like, fabrics light weight. Gorgeous to the extreme is the rich blending of colors tastefully arranged in art work, rugs and carpet suspended from the walls, is the carpet department. On the first floor the silks, woolens, trimmings allied lines on the dry goods side and notions strikes one as viewing things never before seen in such perfect arrangement. The opening is in all departments and not even the men's department is slighted, where the neatest and latest in men's garments is shown. The many who visited at the store yesterday were more than pleased with the display.

Cut In Two

We are still offering Good Shoes with the price cut in two. Louis Beigel. 193t1

Will Resurrect the Curfew Law

Monessen People Make Complaints of Children Being on Street at Night

WAS FORMERLY IN FORCE

The curfew law is about to be resurrected in Monessen after a two years' demise, and put into working order. Complaints have been made recently that boys and girls of a tender age are to be found on the streets as late as 11 o'clock at night with no motive for being there.

WILL TRY OUT NEW PLAYERS

"Bill" Phillips Will Take Youngsters From Valley

PUTS THROUGH A TRADE

Manager "Bill" Phillips of the Youngstown team of the Ohio and Pennsylvania league, has been busy getting his players signed for the coming season. He has just closed an important deal, exchanging Catcher Frankenberry for second baseman Shelton, of Huntingdon, W. Va. He has also signed "Billy" Miller, an outfielder late of the Canton, Ohio team.

Manager Phillips is going to try out a number of young players, and he will take them to Columbiana 10 days ahead of the time for the rest to report in order that they may get a thorough workout. The season will open about the last week of April. Among the young players Phillips will take from the valley for a tryout will be Pitcher Alex Sutherland of Speers, Catcher "Bill" Brakewood, of Fayette City and Catcher Joe Guder, of the Charleroi Church league.

The Last Chance

This will be the last opportunity to buy your shoes at a bargain as we are closing out our entire stock very rapidly. Louis Beigel. 193t2

Lawrence Paints are sold by U. S. Standard gallon. J. H. Bowers. 194t1

Kerfoot W. Daly and C. F. Thompson have gone to Harrisburg on a business trip and to visit Gov. J. K. Tener and Executive Controller S. C. Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Blaker, and daughter Dessie are spending the day in Pittsburg visiting Jay Reeves at the West Penn Hospital.

Like-o-Namel on a floor is made to walk on—does not scratch. J. H. Bowers 194t1

Charleroi Officials Not Held Guilty of Illegality In Making Arrest

$5,000 AMOUNT CLAIMED

Trouble Over a Sewer at Second Street Ends In Court Where Effort is Made to Recover Damages

An important decision was rendered this morning at Washington when a verdict was given in favor of borough officials in the damage suit of Mrs. Catherine Fram who sued to recover $5,000 for alleged false arrest and imprisonment. Defendants in the case were Burgess George W. Ribeck, Chief of Police C. W. Albright and Patrolman George McEldowney. Not only was an adverse decision to Mrs. Fram rendered, but she was directed to pay the costs of the proceedings.

The suit was the sequel of a dispute over a sewer, which ran across the Fram lot on Second street, discharging sewerage from the home of Mrs. Mattie K French, into Second street. The Frams were claimed to have stopped up the sewer with concrete, thus interfering with the sewerage from the French place where a young man lay seriously ill. State Health Inspector Warren Hood came here on a Sunday, after there had been some trouble over the matter, and borough men were instructed to open up the sewer. Mrs. Fram is stated to have raised somewhat of a disturbance in an effort to prevent the work from being done, and she was arrested and brought to the lockup while the work was continued. She was later given a hearing and fined. As a result of the trouble a suit was decided in equity court some time ago in which Mrs. French and others were the plaintiffs and the Frams the defendants.

Considerable importance is attached to the case from the reason that borough officials were upheld in their work. If an adverse decision to them had been rendered, the chances are they would have been continually defending themselves in court. The Fram case was in a sense an exceptional one, but as Judge Taylor stated, in giving his charge to the jury, it could not be found that the borough officials had acted injudiciously or illegally in the performance of their duty. Judge Taylor further stated that had it been a man who interfered in the same way that Mrs. Fram did, the borough officials would have been justified in using more determined methods.

Smoky City Cleaner makes wall paper look like new. Charleroi City Grocery. 194t1.

William S. Lockart of McDonald, who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for clerk of courts, was in town today.

R. F. McGowan of North Charleroi is spending a couple of days in Bethany, W. Va.

Lik-e-Namel made expressly for floors—dries hard and glossy. J. H. Bowers. 194t1

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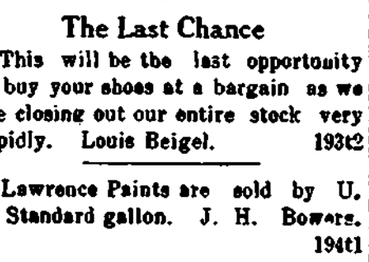

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March 24 In American History.

1644—The commonwealth of Rhode Island founded

1882—Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, poet, died; born 1807.

1885—Jacob Thompson, a cabinet officer under President Buchanan and afterward noted Confederate, died; born 1810.

1890—New extradition treaty between the United States and Great Britain officially proclaimed. General flight of fugitives in "Canadian colony."

1905—Venezuela refused arbitration to settle the United States claims dispute.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 6:12, rises 5:51; moon rises 3:40 a. m.; 11:40 p. m., moon in conjunction with Uranus.

For County Commissioner

JOHN J. CAIRNS,

ROSCOE, PA.

Primaries, Saturday, June 3, 1911.

For Register of Wills,

FRANK B. WICKERHAM

MONONGAHELA, PA.

Primaries June, 1911

What Confronts Us

In its efforts to promote the advancement and prosperity of Charleroi, the local Business Men's Association should not overlook two economic conditions that confront us. These are: first, there is not enough work in our local institutions to afford employment for all the working people living in the town; and second, there is not enough business in the town proper to support all the stores and business places that are located here.

Take away the opportunities for employment afforded in the nearby towns and communities, and deflect the trade that come to the town from outside sources, and immediately there would be great suffering and financial distress. These are contingencis that are likely to occur at any time, and which no interests in the town have the power to help or control. As long as times are normal no harmful results are apparent. But let the factories and mills at Monessen, Donora and Belle Vernon shut down, and the mines along the valley suspend, even though our own industries continued in operation, and immediately a large number of working people in the town would become idle and dependent, and the business depression that would overtake many institutions would work widespread distress.

What is desirable is that Charleroi should have enough employment for all the working people living here, instead of our workmen having to go outside to seek employment. A year ago Supt. Nesbit of the Pittsburg Steel company at Monessen stated that he had 225 Charleroi residents on his pay roll. That was only one outside industry. It is well known that when the factories are not running [illegible] dull in Charleroi. These are conditions that make the progress of the town more or less unstable, and how to correct them is an economic problem for the local interests to solve.

Does soup make a man cazy? is asked. No, if he leaves it alone.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Out in Tacoma they let women vote on treating. It is good-bye treating, most likely if they get their way.

Relatives Surely

Miss Pearl Potts is visiting her cousin, Miss Mary Chambers Greene County Correspondence.

To the naughty masculine mind a part of these tight fitting new English trousers for men, would make a good adaptation of a pantaloon gown for women.

The only thing the Wall street manipulators ask for is privileges. Hang the rights.

Many people seem to think the Congressional Record a joke. But let them read just one issue through once, and they will be quite willing to admit they didn't know.

One trouble with woman suffrage is that when the cook and the mistress both get the ballot, there will be nobody at home to get dinner on election day.

A Lawrence county borough council is vainly trying to solve the problem of whether five of eight councilmen constitute a two thirds majority.

The usual remark might be made about the common run of spring hats—"They look like the devil."

There was an old woman from Wooster,
Who got in a fight with a rooster;
She ran for a tree
But didn't get free,
For she had nobody to boost her.

Bum Steer

The preacher, he preached from a text,
How Sampson was barbered and vexed:
That a man in a pew
And he told it so true
Got rattled and hollered out "Next."

The Nub

Jones tells me many a story
Which he thinks is full of wit,
But the darned thing isn't funny—
That's the funny part of it.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"In this age of entertainment and amusement conversation is a lost art," remarked a Charleroi woman yesterday. "There is no such thing any more as mental or moral culture by social contact, as there used to be. Every one has to be entertained by some artificial amusement. Even the women's literary clubs devote a large part of their program to entertainments, and a social gathering without a program or diversions is rare indeed.

"People do not have time to think or be original any more, or to develop by absorbing wisdom and knowledge from others, for the simple reason there is nothing to give or take in that line. When we meet our friends and acquaintances in social intercourse we play euchre, bridge, 500 or some other game, and all the conversation we indulge in is some personal gossip or other light talk on mere platitudes or some transitory topic that is empty, vapid, and most uninteresting to say the least. Instead of enjoying one another's company, and exchanging bright thoughts and bringing out our best impulses, we expend our grey matter in devising lunches, prizes and varied forms of entertainment that are a bore to ourselves and all others with whom we associate. That is not the worst. Petty jealousies and animosities are aroused in trying to outdo each other in the novelty of entertainment, and the greatest pleasure seems to be when we score a triumph over our neighbors in that respect.

"Even the churches have become infected with the amusement idea, and instead of the straight gospel of love and truth we get a program of entertainment thrown in with our form of worship that invariably overshadows the force and application of the service. The choir, the anthems, the vocal solos, the instrumental preludes and other forms occupy more thought and discussion than the sermons.

"With this condition is it any wonder that people are unhappy, discontented and vapid? No one lives their own life or gets any satisfaction, profit or pleasure in the empty, frivolous standard that permeates our social life in every gradation of society today. We need to reform ourselves."

An article in this month's number of McClure's Magazine entitled "John A. Brashear of Pittsburg," by Edwin Tenny Brewster, is attracting considerable attention along the valley from the fact that Mr. Brashear, the subject of the article was born and reared in Brownsville and is well known in by many of the older people of this section. Mr. Brashear is one of the most eminent astronomers of the day with a world-wide reputation. He began life as a millwright a Pittsburg rolling mill, and although he never attended college, he has honorary degrees from the most of the prominent universities of the word. He has an establishment on the Northside, Pittsburg, where he manufactures special scientific instruments, the only one of its kind in existence. His patrons are scattered over the whole civilized world, and include the leading governments, the great educational institutional and the prominent scientific societies in both Europe and America. Incidentally it may be remarked that Mr. Brashear has done more for the cause of education in Pittsburg than any three men in that community.

"In his personal relations Mr. Brashear is as modest and unassuming as he is great and eminent as a scientist. A valley newspaper man relates how he once had occasion to consult the great scientist when he had charge of a query department in one of the Pittsburg morning papers.

"I had some astronomical questions I could not solve, and a colleague suggested that I call up Prof. Brashear on the 'phone at his laboratory in Allegheny. I did so, and immediately got a response.

"'Is this Prof. Brashear?' I asked.

"'This is Mr. Brashear,' was the modest reply.

"Then in answer to my inquiry he gave the desired information, with a cordial invitation to call upon him for anything else in that line at any time. I frequently did so, and while I never met Mr Brashear personally, my telephone acquaintance with him is one of my most pleasant recollections."

MAKE THIS TEST

How to Tell If Your Hair is Diseased

Even if you have a luxuriant head of hair you may want to know whether it is in a healthy condition or not. 98 per cent of the people need a hair tonic.

Pull a hair out of your head if the bulb at the end of the root is white and shrunken, it proves that the hair is diseased, and requires prompt treatment if its loss would be avoided. If the bulb is pink and full, the hair is healthy.

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A Problem That Stumped Rousseau.

A curious little book is an old, old treatise on aeronautics by Jean Jacques Rousseau, called "Le Nouveau Dedale." Like Leonardo da Vinci and Cyrano de Bergerac, Rousseau was haunted by the dream of aerial navigation. We read: "Men walk on the earth, they sail on the water and swim in it. Is not the air an element, like the others? What business have the birds to shut us out of their premises while we are made welcome in those of the fishes?" Rousseau took no stock in any theories propounded by the Darius Greens of his day. He sifted the matter for himself and thought it involved two problems. First to find a body lighter than air, so that it would rise. He imagined that sooner or later such a body might present itself. There was no telling. But what stumped him was his second problem—how to make that obliging body stop rising and how in creation to make it come down. This was too tough for Jean Jacques, and he wound up his book by admitting it. For a long time "Le Nouveau Dedale" remained unpublished, appearing only in 1801.

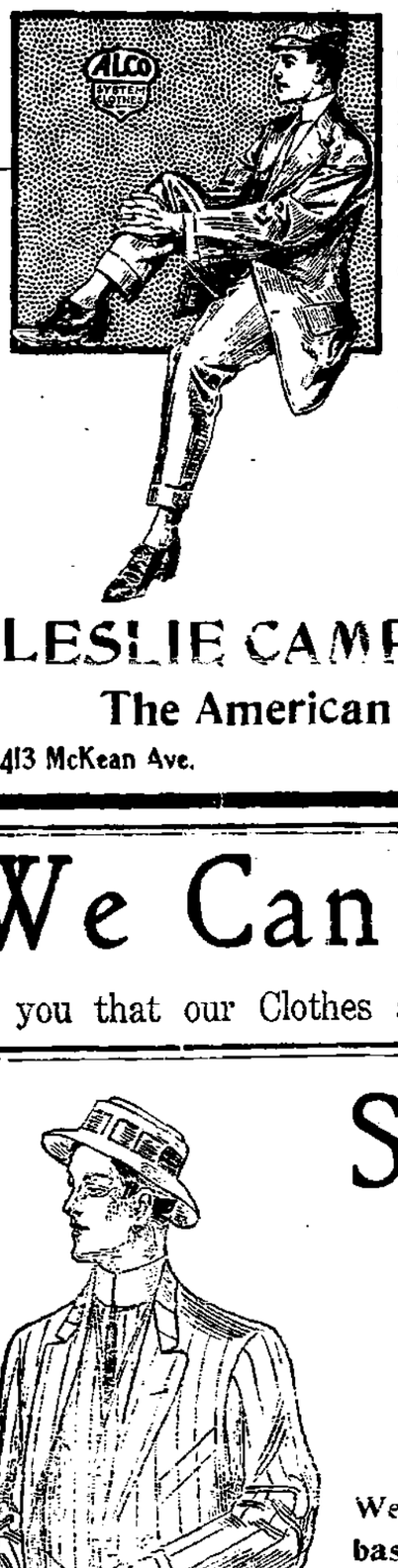
Time to Make a Change.

Sir William Phips was appointed governor in chief of the province of Massachusetts Bay in 1692. During his administration the terrible war against witchcraft raged for some sixteen months. When his own wife, Lady Phips, was named as having exercised the powers of witchcraft Sir William began to view this whole terrible madness in a new light, and he put a stop to all trials and discharged the prisoners then awaiting trial.

The Way It Happened.

Brother Lobstock—How did yo' all got yo' nose busted? Brother Tump—I done slipped down an' plumb lit on my back. Brother Lobstock—But, name o' goodness, sah, yo' nose isn't located on yo' back! Brother Tump—No, sah, an' needer was Brudder Wack.—Puck.

Fine Line of Spring Clothes



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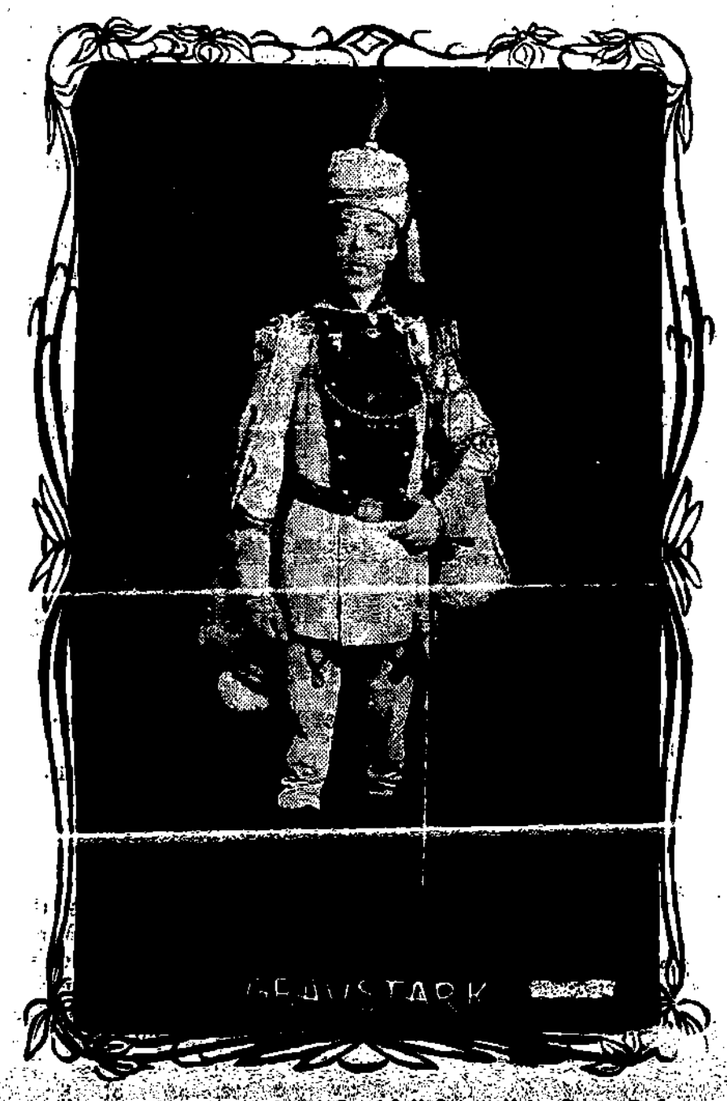

Harry L. Minturn as "Grenfall Lorry" in Graustark

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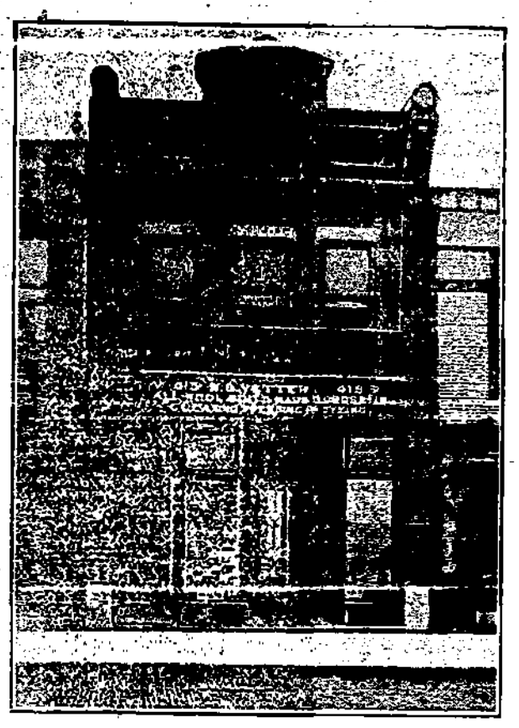
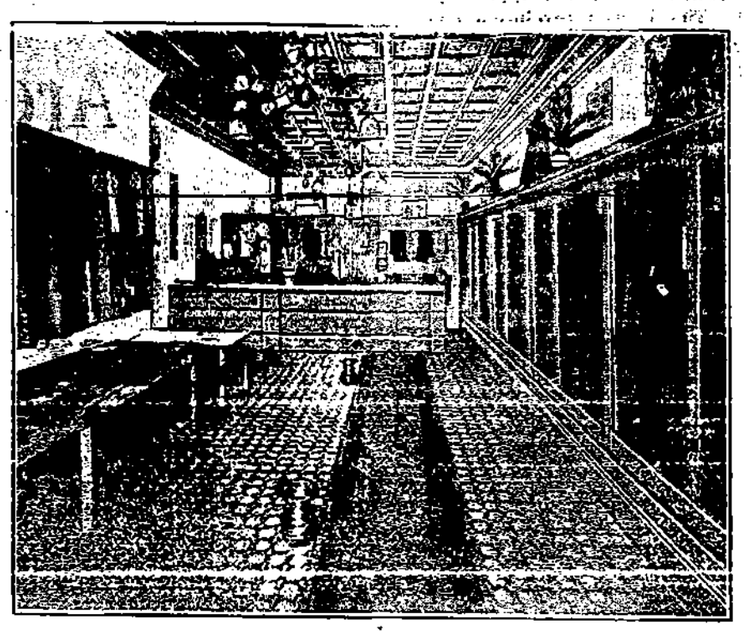


R. O. VETTER'S BUSINESS BLOCK

Announcement

WE wish to inform our many patrons that we have removed our Tailoring, Repairing, Cleaning and Dyeing Business to our own building located at 415 Faillowfield avenue, which has been renovated and equipped for the purpose of handling to better advantage the large and increasing business establishment in the past 12 years in Charleroi. It is our aim and ambition to please. We earnestly invite you to pay us a visit and inquire into our method of doing business. The most cordial treatment is assured.



R. O. VETTER'S RECEIVING AND SALES ROOM

A Feature in the Clothing Department: Fine Spring and Summer Suits

for men and yyung men, measured by every every standard, whether it be workmanship or materials, whether style or patterns, our suits prove their superior worth. They are faultless productions of men who have made the designing and making of men's and young men's highclass clothing their life study, and they have been wonderfullo successful in their attainments. There is refinement in every detail---in the appropriateness of the color effects, in the fashoning, they are perfect in every particular. Our guatantee stande back of every garment.

Easter Time is Clothing Time

Do Not Delay; Come Now

Step right in and look over our spring and summer samples as the line is in full bloom and not broken, giving you an opportunity to make a better selection. Select your goods, have your measure taken, and then make a small deposit on same. Our tailors will then proceed to build your suit, causing no delay, as delay may mean dissapointment to you. The earlier you select your suit the more time the tailors have to work on it. You have everything to gain and nothing to lose. Take advantage of this opportunity.

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R. O. VETTER

Think of it. This service means that you can order in this very town at R. O. Vetter's, 415 Fallowfield avenue the built to order clothes of Fifth avenue and Broadway, New Yerk as easily as the clubmen of New York.

In our store, the cream of the richest and rarest of spring woolens to be found in the most exclusive big city tailor shops are on display.

Our Motto

If not good, we make good---that's good.

Our Clothes are tailored by two of the most reliable tailoring establishments in the world, known the country over for their reliability, durability, style and moderate prices. These firms are The Royal Tailors and B. Stern & Son.

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Modern high grade cleaning and dyeing a specialty. Our process is right up-to-date. The work is done by experts having a thorough knowledge of the business. We guarantee to use no injurious chemicals for cleaning and dyeing.

Ladies and Gentlemen, I want you to look over your wardrobe, and see what you need in the way of cleaning and dyeing. Now is the time to have it done---before we get too busy. There are lots of people who get disappointed by waiting too long. We will take care of your goods until you get ready for them.

We can clean and dye anything that can be cleaned or dyed--skirts, coats, waists, evening gowns, dresses, shawls, veils, hats or caps, feathers, gloves, hosiery to match your slippers, lace curtains, portiers, cushion covers, table covers, piano covers, and all lace and silk dresses, no matter how fine they are. We will stand back of anything we do.

Gentlemen's Garments: Business suits, evening suits, fancy vests, trousers and overcoats, sweaters and neckties. No matter what you want, we clean and press them all. Goods called for and delivered to any part of Charleroi free of charge. Special attention given to mail or telephone orders. We pay express charges one way on goods received from any part of the Monongahela Valley. We invite correspondence and cheerfully answer all inquiries fully and promptly. Not responsible for goods left in our possession over sixty days.

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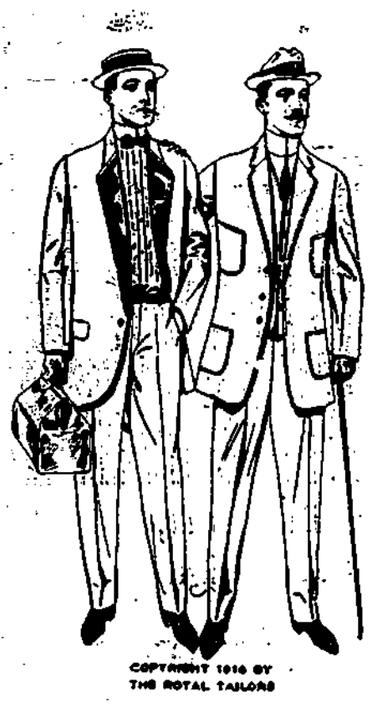

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BRILLAT-SAVARIN.

Tribulations of the Famous French Epicure and Jurist.

Brillat-Savarin, the author of "The Physiology of Taste," was the absolute realization of the typical good liver. The French revolution confiscated his property and removed him from his office as civil judge. He fled to Switzerland and then to the United States, where he played a fiddle in a New York theater to gain a living.

His property was afterward returned to him, and he was made a counselor of the supreme court, an office he clung to successfully through changes of empire and kingdom. His "Physiology of Taste" shared the fate of many celebrated books. It was refused by several publishers and eventually was published at the author's expense, but without his name attached to it, as he considered the nature of the work incompatible with his judicial functions.

It was Brillat-Savarin who declared that "the discovery of a new food does more for the happiness of the human race than the discovery of a star."

"Monsieur the counselor," a hostess asked him one day, "which do you prefer, burgundy or bordeaux?"

"Madame," replied the judicial authority, "that is a lawsuit in which I have so much pleasure in taking the evidence that I always postpone judgment."

A LIBERTY WITH TIME.

Castelar's Interrupted Lecture in the University of Madrid.

In "Home Life In Spain" is a fine story of the University of Madrid, which once had among its professors that Senor Castelar who was for a time president of the short lived Spanish republic. But when Alfonso XII. was brought to Madrid after the fall of the republic Castelar, with his companions, was exiled.

Some years afterward an amnesty was proclaimed, and Castelar returned in triumph to Madrid to resume his office in the university. A vast gathering attended to hear his first lecture, and the greatest orator in all Spain mounted the rostrum, looked imperturbably at the sea of eager faces surrounding him and began, "As I was saying yesterday" (Como decia ayer).

Between that yesterday and this day he had fought the battle of the fallen republic and had known the bitterness of years in exile. All memory of this, however poignant in the heart of Castelar, had passed from the professor of Madrid's university, and he continued his lecture at the very point at which it had been broken off.

The Sedan Chair.

The sedan chair is named after Sedan, the town where it was first used. The earliest mention of it in England occurs in 1581. Early in the following century the Duke of Buckingham caused much indignation by its use in London. People were exasperated at that nobleman employing his fellow men to take the place of horses to carry him. Prince Charles brought from Spain in 1623 three curiously wrought sedans, two of which he gave to the Duke of Buckingham. A few weeks after their introduction Massinger produced his play, "The Bondman," and in it he thus adverts to the ladies:

> For their pomp and care being borne
> In triumph on men's shoulders.

The reference is doubtless to Buckingham's sedan, which was borne like a palanquin.—"Bygone England."

The Magnetic Poles.

The magnetic poles are not stationary. The northern one is slowly moving westward along the seventieth parallel and in the course of three or four hundred years will probably have encircled the geographic north pole and returned to about its present location. Of course the southern magnetic pole follows a corresponding course about the geographic south pole. In such cities in the United States as Omaha, Sioux City, Topeka, Galveston, etc., the compass needle would point about in the direction of the north star and the north pole that Commander Peary reached. This geographic pole is about 1,500 miles north of the magnetic pole, toward which the needles of all compasses point.—St. Nicholas.

Earliest Use of Mineral Ink.

In ancient times india ink, made from lampblack and glue, was used for writing on papyri, but inspection of the earliest vellum or parchment MSS. shows that iron gall inks were introduced not later than the ninth century. The reason for the change was that, although a carbon ink is more permanent, it has no penetrating power and can be sponged from the vellum, whereas the iron ink bites into the fibers and resists the destructive action of both air and light.

Age and Youth.

W. D. Howells said of old age at one of his Sunday afternoons:

"Age is modester than youth. I've often noticed that when I tell a mother that her daughter is the image of what she was herself at nineteen the mother is delighted, but the daughter looks startled."

Turn to the Light.

If there is anywhere on your horizon a spot of light, fix your eyes upon it and turn your thoughts away from the clouds which may cover the rest of the sky.

Just Like Shopping.

First Suffragette—If you were running for office, would you buy votes? Second—Suffragette—Not unless they could be changed or credited.—Life.

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You will surely want a new Spring garment early this Season. Styles are radically different this year. The PEOPLE'S exclusive Styles and Superior Values are potent factors which you cannot afford to overlook. Our Originial Confidential Charge System is a welcome convenience. You don't need the spot cash. We'll charge it.

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Fancy white potatoes, per bu.	.60
Co-operative best flour, per sack	$1.40
Matchless flour per sack	1.55
Yellow onion sets per bushel	.95
Yellow onion sets per peck,	.25
Yellow onion sets 3 quarts for	.10
Fresh meaty dates, 4 lbs. for	.25
Dried apples, 3 lbs. for	.25
Fancy tomatoes, 3 lb. can, 3 for	.25
Elgin Creamery butter, 1 lb. print,	.27
Fresh eggs, per doz.	.22
Yellow table peaches, 3 lb. can	.16
Fancy syrup pears, 3 lb can, 2 cans for	.25
Strawberries, 2 lb can, 3 cans for,	.25
Blackberries, 2 lb can, 3 for	.25
Pie peaches, 3 lb can, 3 for	.28
Cove Oysters, 3 cans for	.28

The Co-Operative Store

Charleroi, Pa.

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Paint Advice

Let us help you, with some experienced paint advice, to select the right paint for your home. It requires experience and paint knowledge, because the paint is just as important as the lumber, hardware and furnishings. We can help you. Also let us show you some tasteful color combinations for your home; let us explain why, if you ask your painter to use

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You don't need to, the greatest wall-paper artists have already done that for you, and the results of their study are awaiting your examination in our stock. In no previous year have we been able to show you such beautiful patterns.

When placing you bid on spring painting, call on us as we are prepared to give you estimates on all jobs, large or small.

The Peoples Paint and wall paper store, General Contractor, House Painting, Decorating and graining.

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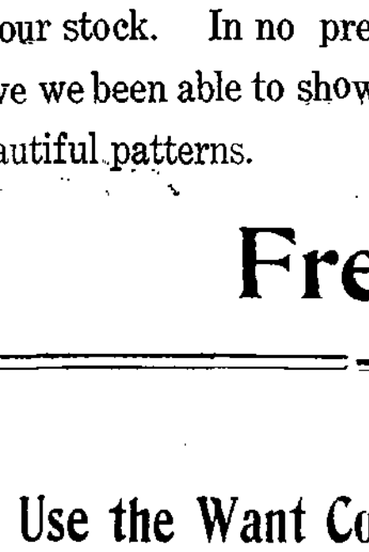
Use the Want Column of the Mail; you will get the desired result quickly and surely--a cent a word.

THE VALUE of well-printed neat-appearing stationery as a means of getting and holding desirable business has been amply demonstrated. Consult us before going elsewhere



Easter shopers will be delighted with our new spring line of Jewelry Watches, and Diamonds. We have the best quality goods for the cheapest prices.

Come in and see the latest in jewelry line. A pretty Easter gift will gladden the folks at home. We have also something new in imported ornaments such as Vases, Flower Jars, Cake Dishes and many others which will make a pretty Easter gift for the home.

H. Porter

Jewelr and Optician

534 Fallowfield Avenue Charleroi, Pa.

Turn Over a New Leaf

By subscribing for THIS PAPER

Hindu Juggling.

The Hindu jugglers and acrobats are the most skillful in the world. One of the latest stories told of them is about a performer who went through many wonderful feats perched on the top of a single bamboo stick about fifteen feet in height. The top of the stick was tied to a girdle around his waist, and a leg rest was provided by a cushion a few feet down the pole. Perched on this slender stick he hopped and danced about in the liveliest way, accompanied by the tapping of a drum. It would be considered a skillful feat to walk about with ease on a pair of stilts fifteen feet in height, but this Hindu showed a marvelous power of equilibrium on a single stick. He did other things even more wonderful. For example, he balanced a light stick on his nose and a heavy one on his chin and then threw the heavy one into the air with his head and caught it on the end of a light one. While balancing the two sticks thus, end on end, he made one revolve in one direction and the other in the opposite direction.

"Grey" and "Gray."

What is the difference, if any, between "grey" and "gray," aside from the matter of spelling?

The editor of the Oxford Dictionary some years ago made extended inquiry as to usage and found that opinions in London varied. Replies to his questions showed that in Great Britain about twice as many prefer "grey" as "gray," despite the authority of Dr. Johnson and later lexicographers, who give the preference to gray. Many correspondents said that they used the two forms with a difference of meaning or application, the distinction most generally recognized being that grey denotes a more delicate or lighter tint than gray. Others considered the difference to be that gray is a warmer color or that it has a mixture of red or brown. Another group held that grey has more of sentiment, gray more of color, which may mean that grey is a suggestion rather than a positive outline.—New York Press.

KIDNAPING VOTERS.

Once a Regular Feature of Political Warfare in England.

In England a generation or two ago kidnaping was a regularly recognized feature of political warfare. On the eve of an election especially men of influence on either side would mysteriously vanish to reappear later with strange tales of forcible seizures, mad races across country in post chaises driven by yelling postilions, followed by longer or shorter terms of gilded imprisonment in great mansions, where they were wined and dined in sumptuous style and treated right royally in every way, only their liberty being denied them.

Quite humble voters, too, were forcibly abducted, but these did not always fare quite so well. Thus one victim made complaint before a magistrate that he had been decoyed from his house by a ruse and kept shut up in a coal hole for three days.

Wholesale kidnaping of voters in batches, too, was not unknown, the process being rendered easier by the custom of candidates paying the traveling expenses of their electors to and from the polling places.

For instance, at a certain Newcastle election a whole shipload of freemen of the borough, dispatched from London by sea, were taken by the captain—who had been heavily bribed—to Ostend and there left stranded.

During the same contest, too, and under similar circumstances a number of Berwick electors who happened to reside in London were dumped down in Norway, and a group of thirty Ipswich voters found themselves on the day of the poll cooling their heels upon the quay at Rotterdam.—Pearson's Weekly

Tale of a Snake.

"Before he went fishin'," said the town story teller, "he swallowed 'bout a pint an' half of snake bite remedy, an' of course you know what that is. Well, after the snake bit him the reptile cut all sorts of capers, kaze the remedy went straight to its head. Last thing it tried to do was to swaller its tail, an' it got itself in the form of a hoop, an' I'm a liar of the children didn't roll it around all day!"—Atlanta Constitution.

:: OUR ANNUAL ::

Spring Opening

will be continued for two more days, Saturday and Monday, March, 25th and 27th.

Many hundreds of People have been here to view the New Spring Styles, and all join in saying that this has been the Best and Most Successful Opening ever held in the vicinity.

Every one is invited—Men as well as the Ladies. Everybody come Saturday and Monday.

Opening Coupon

If you cut out this coupon and present it, you can buy best Fearless Muslin, worth 12½c, full bleached and yard wide, at

10 Yards for 75c

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Opening Coupon

Cut out this coupon and bring it with you and buy Mennen's 25c box Talcum Powder at

2 Boxes for 25c

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Opening Coupon

Cut this out and bring it with you and buy Best 7c American Print Calicoes, in light or dark colors, at

10 Yards for 55c

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Opening Coupon

Cut this out and bring it with you and buy Merrick's 5c Sewing Thread in White only, most all Nos., with this coupon only 3½c at Spool

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Opening Coupon

Regular 50c Table Linen, bleached. Special for two. Yard 39c

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Opening Coupon

New Silk Jacquard, in blue, pink and black. Sells regularly for 40c Special opening price. Yard 29c

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LADIES

You want to get busy if you want something new for Easter, for now is the time to buy; you will have a better selection now than later in anything you want. Remember

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Leading Dry Goods Store,

of Charleroi, can show you a complete line in anything you want, either in Dry Goods or Ready-to-Wear.

Don't fail to call on us before you buy.

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Special for Saturday and Monday

360 prs. boys shoes sizes 9 to 13 1-2 worth $1.25 special	.79
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Dont forget the Name and Address

Ask to see our Mens $1.98 shoe and oxfords for men and women.

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See Fleming's ranges. 192tf

$1.50 worth of S. and H. Stamps with a 4 pound Box Washing Borax. Barger's. 194t1

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Schafee have come to Charleroi where the former will be employed.

Fred W. Cooper of Sixth street is confined to his home by severe illness.

Vienna Flour, best grade of wheat, one half barrel $2.90, one-fourth $1.45. John Guggie, 606 Fallowfield avenue. 192t6

CONVENTION TO BE HELD HERE

Lady Maccabees To Hold District Session In Charleroi

Preliminary arrangement are being made by the Charleroi Hive, Lady Maccabees, for the district convention to be held in Charleroi some time in April and May. The district includes hives from McKeesport to Brownsville. A definite date has not been set. An interesting meeting of the hive was held last night with 42 members present After the busines session and the initiation of one candidate, a social session was held and a delicious lunch served. Everything is in readiness for the euchre to be held Wednesday evening, March 29. Playing will begin at 8 o'clock and handsome favors will be awarded. A pie social is also being planned for Thursday evening, March 20, in the meeting hall.

He Obeyed Orders.

General Dabney H. Maury in his "Incidents of General T. J. Jackson" says that when the war between the states broke out Jackson was the professor of mathematics at the Military College of the South. He wished strongly to take command of a cadet corps, but the heads of the institution were desirous to have him continue his teaching. Governor Wise called out the state troops and ordered that a corps of cadets be held ready for immediate service. Jackson, then major, reported at once at the guardroom as ready for duty. General Smith said:

"Major Jackson, you will remain as you are until further orders."

Jackson at that moment was sitting on a camp stool in the guardroom with his saber across his knees. At reveille the next morning he was found in the same position.

"Why, major, why are you here?" exclaimed General Smith.

"Because last night you ordered me to remain where I was," was the reply.

Classified Ads

HELP WANTED—An electrician for inside wiring. Apply to Master Mechanic, Pittsburg Plate Glass company. 194t3

WANTED—A collector. Apply at the People's Store, 536 Fallowfield avenue. 194t3

WANTED—Seamstress for Monessen store; one for the Charleroi store. Apply P. Anmuth, at People's Store, Charleroi, Pa. 194t3

WANTED—Girl for general housework, no washing. None but experienced need apply. Mrs. A. H. Chandler, Crest avenue. 193tf

FOR RENT—Flat of five rooms and bath on McKean avenue. All modern conveniences. Apply Greenberg Bros. 192tf

FOR SALE—Computing scales, comparatively new. Will be sold cheap. Can be seen at the Hotel Arthur. 191tfp

FOR SALE—Good paying grocery, centrally located, Donora. Owner has other interests. Apply "R" Mail office. 190t6

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Must give reference. Apply B. H., Mail office. 190tf

WANTED—Experienced salesman to manage local store. Excellent opportunity for live wire. Only hustler need apply. Call at once 536 Fallowfield avenue. 185tf

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms at $10 a month, or four rooms for $12 at Lock No. 4. Use of bath and laundry. Address W., Mail office. 184tf

FOR RENT—Store room and two seven room flats with baths and laundry on McKean avenue, will rent separate. Inquire Charleroi Savings and Trust company. 160tf

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Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Morton's Gap, Kentucky.—"I suffered two years with female disorders, my health was very bad and I had a continual backache which was simply awful. I could not stand on my feet long enough to cook a meal's victuals without my back nearly killing me, and I would have such dragging sensations I could hardly bear it. I had soreness in each side, could not stand tight clothing, and was irregular. I was completely run down. On advice I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills and am enjoying good health. It is now more than two years and I have not had an ache or pain since I do all my own work, washing and everything, and never have the backache any more. I think your medicine is grand and I praise it to all my neighbors. If you think my testimony will help others you may publish it."—Mrs. OLLIE WOODALL, Morton's Gap, Kentucky.

Backache is a symptom of organic weakness or derangement. If you have backache don't neglect it. To get permanent relief you must reach the root of the trouble. Nothing we know of will do this so surely as Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound.

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Come only out of the head,
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We buy good shoes and sell good shoes only, and reasonable prices.

We deal fairly and squarely, give everybody the same price and stand back of every pair we sell.

We study our business every day of every week. We are doing and always will do our level best to please you.

In the near future when you'll be in need of your spring shoes or summer oxfords, get acquainted with this store' merchandise.

The Store that Satisfies.

J. J. Beerens

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Charleroi, Pa.

CHARTER NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Pennsylvania, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on Monday, the 17th day of April, 1911, by James J. Hott, Kerfoot W. Daly and Walter Byerly and others, under the act of Assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended coporation to be called MONONGAHELA VALLEY AUTOMOBILE CLUB, the character and object of which is "promotion of the interests of automobile owners, drivers, manufactures and dealers," and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of Assembly and the supplements thereto. A copy of said application is on file in the of office of the Prothontary of said Court.

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